

**Third
Amendment to the Agreement
Between
AT&T Communications of the Southern States, LLC
and
BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
Dated March 14, 2006
South Carolina**

Pursuant to this Amendment, (the "Amendment"), AT&T Communications of the Southern States, LLC (AT&T), and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth), hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties," hereby agree to amend that certain Interconnection Agreement between the Parties dated March 14, 2006 (Agreement) to be effective the date of the last signature executing the Amendment (Effective Date).

WHEREAS, BellSouth and AT&T entered into the Agreement on March 14, 2006, and;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual provisions contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby covenant and agree as follows:

1. The Parties agree to modify Section 17, Notices of the General Terms and Conditions as follows:

Delete:

Chief commercial Attorney
AT&T
Legal Department
1230 Peachtree St NE
Fourth Floor
Atlanta, GA 30309

Replace with:

Senior Attorney
Michelle Bourianoff
919 Congress
Suite 900
Austin, TX 78701-2444

2. All of the other provisions of the Agreement, dated March 14, 2006, shall remain in full force and effect.
3. Either or both of the Parties are authorized to submit this Amendment to the respective state regulatory authorities for approval subject to Section 252(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have executed this Amendment the day and year written below.

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

By: 

Name: Kristen E. Shore

Title: Director

Date: 9/20/06

**AT&T Communications of the
Southern States, LLC**

By: 

Name: Bill C. Peacock

Title: Director - GAM

Date: 9/8/06